SOUTH AUSTRALIAN MONTHLY STATISTICS.

MAY, 1938.

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Particulars			1938_	1937
VITAL - Births Deaths Marriages Infantile	Deaths	UL 1008 MO	870 506 323 26	767 444 342 32
BUILDING PERMITS - Metropolitan Dwellings No.		127 91 , 127	105 96,350	
Other Buildings No.		17	14 22,233	
Additions, &c. No.		22,816 278 61,961	215 22,703	
Government		14,256	2,735	
	Total Value	£	190,160	144,021
EMPLOYMENT - Factories Employment (1929-30 = 100) Index N Labour Exchange-Registered		Index No.	134	1.36
Labou	end mont		7,291	7,500
STATE FINANCE - REEX	venue penditure	£ £	1,180,000 903,000	1,162,000
BANKING - Clearings - Weekly Average & Savings Bank Deposits &		3,349,451 26,619,403	3,125,4.61 25,783,905	
GENERAL FINANCE - Bankrupts, Schemes, &c. No. Assets Liabilities Real Estate-Mortgages- Loans Discharges Land Transferred		\pounds	66 166,574 265,034	38 64,687 85,086
		£	632,442 541,115 1,041,100	493,561 452,921 806,700
SALES TAX - Approx. Sales-Taxable Goods Exempt " & S		.s £	1,163,915 2,258,641	1,025,699 2,441,205
		£	3,422,556	3,466,904
DIRECT OVERSEA TRA	ADE - Imports Exports Excess Exports	£stg. £stg. £stg.	587,226 1,626,000 1,038,774	423,275 1,018,000 594,725
MOTOR REGISTRATIONS-New Vehicles-Cars Commercial Cycles No.			503 224 280	503 182 51
WHOLESALE PRICES -	- Wheat Barley Oats Hay Bullocks (Prime) Merino Wethers(Prin Lambs (Prime)	Per Bush. Per Bush. Per Bush. Per Ton each each each	8 s. d. 3 5 5 7 2 7 6 11 18 9 1 2 9 1 0 3	£ s. d. 5 11/2 2 9 3 18 9 1 9 6 1 7 6

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